

Mrs. Christadore's TK NEWSLETTER

12/02/22

Dear Parents,

Happy December! Our classroom has transformed into a winter wonderland! So many new, festive activities were added into centers as well as Christmas books and songs. The next few weeks will be filled with special projects, holiday spirit days, and a focus on the true meaning of Christmas.

A new December reading log was sent home yesterday. You can return it before Christmas break or after. The countdown is on!

Have a great weekend,

Mrs. Christadore

25 ways kids can be Kind

- Deliver a delicious dessert to a neighbor
- Help a new friend at school
- Tell your parents "thank you" when they do something for you
- Hold the door open for someone
- Give somebody a compliment
- Donate items to a food pantry
- Write a card to your grandparents
- Help make dinner
- Make a get-well card
- Give a small token of appreciation to a teacher
- Tell a friend how much you enjoy spending time with them
- Call a family member just to say, "Hello!"
- At your next birthday, donate some of your toys to help other kids
- Ask for your mom's help to make a sweet treat for your family
- Help unload the groceries
- Share your toys with your sibling
- Walk the dog
- Volunteer at an animal shelter
- Make a colorful drawing to brighten a friend's day
- Leave the mailman a special surprise in the mailbox
- Give everyone you see a huge smile
- Pick flowers for your parents
- Leave a kind letter in a library book
- Make up a song to sing to your grandparents
- Tell your friends a funny joke to make them laugh

Monthly Events

- ~ 12/02 Town of Clinton Christmas Parade - 7pm
- ~ 12/08 No School
(Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary)
- ~ 12/20 Christmas concert (K - 8)
- ~ 12/22 Christmas celebration - 11am.
Invitation coming soon!

12/23 - 1/2
NO SCHOOL

Peek at the Week

- Letter review!
- Numbers 7 and 8
- Advent wreaths and spotting one in church!
- St. Nick Shoppe~ what great shoppers!

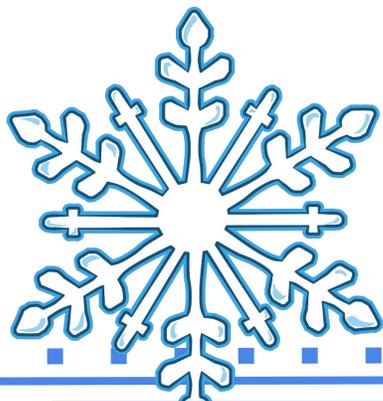
Advent

We spent some time learning about advent and the celebration of Jesus's birth. Please have your child add another flame to a purple candle on their advent wreath to signify the 2nd week of advent. We also talked about the many different advent calendars out there!



Next Week.

- Feast of St. Nicholas (12/6)
- Letter Qq
- Number 9
- Mary said "yes" to God
Hail Mary prayer



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12/09/22

Dear Parents,

We are fully immersed in the Christmas season and this Sunday marks the 3rd week of Advent. Don't forget to have your child light the rose colored candle on their advent wreath. The holiday excitement is here for sure! The children are coming in every morning with lots to share, especially stories about their silly elves :) It was pure joy to watch their reactions when suddenly our shoes were filled with candy canes on St. Nicholas Day.

Traditions are so important and I love to hear about the variety of holiday things you all do. Please help your child think of one holiday tradition for our class quilt (more information in folder).

Have a wonderful weekend,
Mrs. Christadore

Christmas Celebration

You will find an invitation for our Christmas celebration in your child's folder! Please be sure to RSVP so that the class moms can plan appropriately! Also, we ask that your child dress in their Christmas best. :)

We can't wait to sing some songs and enjoy delicious treats all together. We are very busy practicing and spreading holiday cheer!

Monthly Events

- ~ 12/16 Polar Express Day!
- ~ 12/20 Christmas concert (K - 8)
- ~ 12/22 Christmas celebration - 11am
No Aftercare available

12/23 - 1/2
NO SCHOOL

Merry Christmas!

Peek at the Week

- Qq is for Queen - our mother Mary. We added another candle to our advent wreath. Thank you Mary for saying "yes" to God and being Jesus's mother.
- Letters q and u are married ~ they are always together :)
- Eight is great! Students learned to make the letter S first and then connect the ends.
- The game Santa says... was a hit (a twist on Simon says). Try it at home!

Polar Express Day!

Next Friday (12/16), we will be watching The Polar Express in class! Please have your child wear their PJs to school to make it an extra cozy, fun day. If you would like to donate hot chocolate, mini marshmallows, or popcorn ~ please reach out. Thank you!



Next Week.

- Number 9 and 10
- Letter Gg
- Joseph & Mary going to Bethlehem

*Happy Birthday to Amy on Sunday (12/11) and a Happy Birthday to Evelyn on Wednesday (12/14)!